

MISHAWAKA GENERAL NEWS

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MANY SOCIETIES MEET WEDNESDAY

English Lutheran Ladies' Auxiliary Elects Officers — Society Takes in 10.

The Home Missionary society of the Methodist Memorial church held its regular meeting Wednesday afternoon in the church parlors. Mrs. Shields was in charge of the devotional exercise and Mrs. Robbins' wheel had the program. A certificate of perpetual membership was presented to Mrs. S. H. Thornton, who has secured 40 new members to the society within the last year. A pin for new members was given to Mrs. Richard Zeller. Ten new members were received at Wednesday's meeting.

The program was as follows: Prayer, Mrs. W. T. Jones and Mrs. William Whitmer. Mrs. Homer Leach was in charge of the chapter from the study book; Mrs. Albert Weiss contributed a vocal solo, the Misses Neva Robbins and Winifred Keiser, duet; Mrs. Shank, reading; Miss Ruth Lechitner, piano selection; Miss Robbins, vocal solo; Mrs. Arthur Swayne and Mrs. Fred read leaflets, Miss Ruth Sloan entertained with a recitation.

Mrs. L. A. Ayres' wheel served refreshments.

RETURNS TO UNIVERSITY.
Joseph Ostrander, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Ostrander, has returned to Purdue university after spending the Christmas holidays with his parents. Mr. Ostrander is taking an electrical course at Purdue.

BIBLE STUDY CLASS MEETS.
A meeting of the Bible Study class of the Methodist Memorial church was held at the home of Miss Olivia Botes, Wednesday evening.

4% ON SAVINGS DEPOSITS
Money
Deposited on or before January 12, 1917, will draw interest from January 1.

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KANSAS CITY SPEAKER TALKS TO BOY SCOUTS

Eugene Robinson was elected president and Robert Lechitner scout scribe at a meeting of the Boy Scouts held in the Methodist Memorial church Wednesday evening. The meeting was in charge of D. K. Finch. Harold Jones was appointed assistant to Mr. Finch.

An interesting talk was given to the boys by Mr. Durrell, scout master of Kansas City, Mo., who is visiting in Mishawaka. Plans were discussed for the year's work. Drilling and first aid work will begin next week. There are at present 20 members. A social time followed, during which games were the chief feature.

Mr. Finch is desirous of having any one who requires the services of any of the scouts at any time call him over the phone and he will be glad to send one or more of the boys to do any work that may be required of them. A portion of the money earned by this means will go towards purchasing suits and other necessary equipment.

JUBILEE SINGERS COMING TO CITY
A company of jubilee singers from Tuskegee Normal and Industrial Institute, Alabama, of which the late Booker T. Washington was founder, will appear in Mishawaka at the First Methodist church Monday, Jan. 22. These singers have traveled over the entire United States, singing in the interest of their school of which they are graduates. The program to be rendered consists of the old fashioned plantation melodies, folk songs, dialect readings, etc. Admission will be free, but an offering will be asked to assist in the general operating expenses of the Tuskegee institute.

ENJOYMENT CLUB HAS SOCIAL TIME

Mrs. Hettie Kobi entertained the Enjoyment club at her home, 219 E. First st. Wednesday evening. A business meeting was held and officers elected for the ensuing year after which a social time was enjoyed. In the alphabet contest Mrs. Bessie Warren was victor. Refreshments were served and the meeting adjourned to meet Jan. 17 at the home of Mrs. Alta Kime, 814 N. Sarah st.

Adren "Kid" Ross will leave Thursday morning for Newark, O., where he will enter a match there Friday evening.

Lincoln Theater
Beginning Tuesday, January 9th

"The Lass of the Lumberlands"

A spectacular chapter play featuring the fearless film star,

Helen Holmes

Also the Sequel to

"THE DIAMOND FROM THE SKY"

Adults 10c Children 5c

Coming Soon

"The Unborn"

to start that

1917 Christmas Savings Account

Accounts opened with us this week will have only one back payment to make up.

The Fund runs for Fifty Weeks and you receive your check about Two Weeks before Christmas, 1917.

Start an account at once.

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ELECT BYRON S. LEGG HEAD CHARITY BOARD

Succeeds Ruben E. Perkins, Who Retires From Presidency.

Byron S. Legg of the high school faculty was elected president of the board of charities at a meeting of the organization held at the library last night. Ruben E. Perkins, who has been connected with the body for the past six years and has held the presidential chair for the last three years, resigned on account of his health. Other officers elected were: Emerson W. Babcock, vice president; Mrs. A. Stuller, second vice president; Mrs. W. E. Priest, secretary; Daniel E. Day, treasurer. Investigating committees will be appointed and the city will be divided into seven wards. The work of the committees will be to investigate cases in their sections and report to the board meetings. Health Officer Harry Strubbe and Truant Officer H. H. Hutchinson were selected as investigators at large. A vote of thanks in appreciation of the past work of Mr. Perkins was extended by the members. A vote of thanks was also tendered The News-Times.

Contributions towards the work will be gladly accepted.

RETURN FROM NEW YORK.

James Fallon and son and daughter, Fred and Bertha, have returned from a several days' trip to New York, where they visited with Mr. Fallon's relatives. Mr. Fallon commenced business with pleasure, visiting several of the big tire factories.

Most of amounts due on the two lists are small ones. The improvement tax list is being prepared and it will also ornament the delinquent taxpayers' rack.

If this method fails to awaken the public to its duty the names of the faulty ones will be printed in one of the newspapers. However, Feb. 12 is the day fixed when the payments must terminate and the delinquent's property sold at public auction.

MACCABEES INSTALL OFFICERS WEDNESDAY

Mishawaka Tent, No. 12, K. O. T. M., held the installation of their newly elected officers at a well attended meeting held Wednesday evening. Past commander B. F. Berger, presided as installing officer. Those installed were: John Quick, commander; Neri Wells, lieutenant-commander; J. W. Loshough, recorder-keeper; W. E. Stalter, master at arms; C. Gerald Fahnestock, chaplain; Ralph Pitecher, sergeant; Otto Dipert, first guard; Jacob P. Hesch, second guard; Edward Bodman, sentinel and P. P. Hirsch, picket.

A class of five candidates were initiated. Luncheon and smoker followed the business session.

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The next meeting of the auxiliary will be held with Mrs. Gillman, E. Fourth st., in two weeks.

UNDERGOES OPERATION.

Albert Rebbens, 605 S. Scott st., South Bend, underwent a minor operation at St. Joseph's hospital Thursday morning.

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HIRAM SHEDDRICK DIES AT HOSPITAL

Hiram R. Sheddick, 2616 Horne ct., River Park, died at the St. Joseph hospital yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock after a week's illness which was caused by pneumonia.

He was born at Crumstown, Ind., June 11, 1863. He has lived in this vicinity practically all his life. He belonged to the W. O. W. lodge of South Bend. Ten years ago he was married to Miss Delpha Swihart, who survives. Besides his wife he leaves the following: One brother, Ora Sheddick of Crumstown, four sisters, Mrs. Sarah Traub of Indianapolis, Mrs. Frances Bowman, Mrs. Caroline Leer, and Mrs. Ida Sheddick, all of South Bend. He is also survived by two children, Paul and Edith, both living at home.

PROPERTY OWNERS MUST PAY TAXES

City Officials Will Confiscate Property Unless Assessments Are Paid.

Property owners who have not paid city tax payments are in danger of having their lands confiscated by the city unless they make immediate settlement. City officials have decided to wage a relentless war upon the delinquents and have printed lists of the names and amounts from the "slow pays." The list also carries a warning that unless the tax is paid by Feb. 12, a certain amount of the citizen's lands will be sold at public auction by the city treasurer as may be necessary to discharge the tax penalty, cost and charges thereon due to the city at the time of the sale.

City Treas. Kimball has had two racks made. They have been placed in conspicuous places in the city hall and the delinquent lists will be hung on them. Thursday morning two lists were placed upon the rack which over the wire hooks a sign in heavy black letters reads, "Delinquent Tax List." On the list are several hundred names and the amounts due from them to the city for the special interest-section tax.

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FOREIGNERS ASKED TO ATTEND MEETING

Every foreign-born resident of Mishawaka, especially those that cannot speak the English language fluently and ones that are candidates for citizenship are extended an invitation to attend a mass meeting in the high school auditorium to-night at 8 o'clock. The Ball Band and prominent speakers will feature the affair. Speakers in several different languages will address the audience in reference to the advisability of the foreigner joining the night school classes.

NEWS-TIMES WILL MOVE THIS MONTH

The News-Times has taken possession of the Ostrander building, 120 Lincoln way W., into which it will move its offices toward the end of the present month. In the meantime workmen are busy making alterations in the building, with the exception of the new building, through-out, and which when finished, will be one of the most modern and well equipped newspaper offices in these parts.

BAPTIST MISSIONARY.

Mrs. Frank Cart and Mrs. George Bent entertained the Woman's Missionary society of the Immanuel Baptist church at the home of the former, 123 W. Sixth st. Wednesday afternoon. Devotional exercises were in charge of Mrs. Clem Sheibler, the program leader was Mrs. Walter Fields. The topic was "The Missionary Boat."

W. O. W. WIN GAME.

W. O. W. indoor baseball team defeated the 12 Wednesday evening. Batteries for the W. O. W. were Ostott and Kujawa. Foresters, Hums, Frenan, Fetters and Bekheart. Potts and Heiser acted as umpires.

Tuesday evening the W. O. W. team will play the Indiana All Stars in the old Methodist church building.

Thursday evening the Maccabees will play the Moose team.

Attention, Democrats!

The precinct committee of the democratic party in the city of Mishawaka are hereby called to meet at the office of The News-Times, 111 S. Main st., in the city of Mishawaka, Indiana, Thursday, Jan. 4, 1917 at 7:30 o'clock for the purpose of organizing for the ensuing municipal campaign by the election of a chairman, secretary, treasurer and any other sub-committees that may be necessary for the conduct of such campaign.

All democrats and other persons intending to affiliate themselves with the party in the campaign are cordially invited to attend the meeting.

—Adv. W. P. O'NEILL, City Chairman.

ENTERTAINS FOR GUEST.

Mrs. Stephen Haddix, Merrifield road, entertained the "Live Wire" club of Elkhart at an all-day session Wednesday, in honor of Miss Aeth Stanley of Fort Wayne. A splendid dinner was served at noon and was followed by a musical program consisting of piano numbers by Mrs. Harry Gampher and Mrs. C. I. Hartman. Readings by Mrs. Bergtman.

FINAL REPORT MADE.

Chief of Police Thomas D. Kreiter tendered his final report of arrears to City Controller Walter Michael Thursday morning. It showed a total of 502 arrests, stolen goods returned amounting to \$2,523, 722 persons given lodging, 573 loads weighed on the city scales and a total expense of \$11,063.96.

HONORS VISITOR.

Mrs. Howard Amos, 107 E. First st., entertained with a 6 o'clock dinner Wednesday evening at her home honoring Mrs. Jack Flint of Peoria, Ill. Covers were laid for 10 guests. David Flint of Elkhart was an out-of-town guest.

KNICKERBOCKER GUILD MEETS.

Mrs. W. E. Wallach, 117 N. Race st., was hostess in the Knickerbocker guild of the St. Paul's Episcopal church Wednesday evening. A business session was held which was followed by a social hour. Refreshments were served.

MRS. WILKE ENTERTAINS.

Mrs. Charles Wilke, 214 E. First st., entertained the members of the sewing circle of the St. Andrew's Evangelical church Wednesday afternoon. Needlework was the chief feature. Luncheon was served.

ATTEND FUNERAL.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Joswick, 218 E. Eighth st., attended the funeral of the latter's brother, John Nelson, which was held in Elkhart Wednesday afternoon. Mr. Nelson was struck and killed by a mail train early Monday morning.

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PRIZE BIRDS AT SHOW ARE PICKED

Four Champions Exhibited on First Floor in Centrally Located Coops.

Prize awards for the high class fowl on display at the South Bend Poultry and Pet stock show in the Inwood building, 309-311 S. Michigan st., were announced Thursday noon by G. H. Northrup of Grandville, N. Y., and W. C. Pierce of Hope, Ind., the judges governing the competition. It had been expected to have the entire list of awards completed by Wednesday noon, but the large number of entries made it impossible.

The four champion birds at the show are exhibited on the first floor in coops centrally located. First prize for the best Silver Wyandotte cock was given to T. D. Brown, South Bend; first prize, Buff Orpington hen, A. T. Dester, Laporte, Ind.; first prize, Buff Wyandotte cockerel, Martindale & Montgomery; first prize, White Wyandotte pullet, E. T. Bond and Frank Hering.

Following is a list of the prize winners which includes all except special or display exhibits. No prizes will be awarded to pet stock. Names of owners and winners will be published in the American Poultry Journal for February, and in other leading poultry journals in the country.

The awards made Thursday follow:

Buff Orpingtons.

Irvy M. Goss, 1st cock, 3rd hen, 2nd young pen.

A. T. Dester, Laporte, 3rd cock, 1st hen, 4th cockerel, 1st pullet, 3rd young pen.

Frank J. Stamp, Cassopolis, Mich., 4th cock.

E. M. Long, Osceola, 2nd cock, 4th hen, 1st and 3rd cockerel, 2nd old pen.

W. H. and F. M. McNitt, 2nd hen, 1st old pen.

Howard Schultz, Michigan City, 5th hen, 2nd cockerel, 3rd old pen.

Peter Aensman, 5th cockerel, 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 5th, 6th, 1st young pen.

F. M. Cimmerman, 4th old pen.

White Orpingtons.

M. J. Wesolek, 1st cock, 1st hen, 3rd cockerel, 4th pullet.

Albert Perlick, 1st and 2nd cockerel, 1st and 2nd pullet.

William H. Cordier, 3rd pullet, 1st old pen.

Weipert Poultry yards, Ida. Mich., 5th pullet.

S. C. Black Minorcas.

Edward Elchardt, 2nd cock, 2nd pullet.

Edward Pilarski, 1st cock, 1st and 2nd cockerel, 1st young pen.

Paul Huermann, Nappanee, Ind., 1st and 2nd hen.

W. C. Geyer, Elkhart, 3rd cockerel.

White Rocks.

Mrs. D. L. Nace, 1st cock, 1st, 2nd, 3rd cockerel.

Jean Conklin, 1st and 2nd hen, 4th and 5th cockerel, 1st and 2nd pullet, 1st pen.

Buff Rocks.

Mrs. O. N. Sheldahl, Elkhart, 1st, 3rd, 4th, 5th cock, 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th hen; 1st, 4th, 5th cockerel, 1st, 2nd, 3rd pullet, 1st young pen.

C. S. Feldmier, 2nd cock, 2nd and 3rd cockerel, 3rd and 4th pullet.

Silver Wyandottes.

Ira D. Brown, 1st and 2nd cock, 1st, 2nd and 3rd hen, 1st and 2nd cockerel, 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th pullet.

Columbian Wyandottes.

Glen Swan, St. Joseph, Mich., 1st cock, 1st hen.

White Wyandottes.

I. W. Carrel, 3rd and 5th cock.

Ben Bortz, Laporte, 2nd cock, 4th cock.

A. E. Feather, Berrien Springs, 4th cock.

Bond and Hering, 1st cock, 3rd and 4th hen, 4th cockerel, 1st, 2nd and 3rd pullet, 1st old pen.

Mr. and Mrs. Culp, 5th hen, 5th cockerel.

Harry N. Briggs, Berrien Springs, 1st and 2nd hen.

Buff Wyandottes.

Martindale and Montgomery, 1st and 2nd cock, 1st and 2nd hen, 1st and 2nd cockerels, 1st and 2nd pullet, 1st old pen, 1st young pen.

Harry Bruzy, 3rd hen, 2nd old pen.

A. E. Feather, Berrien Springs, 2nd old pen.

Partridge Wyandottes.

P. H. La Rue, Goshen, 1st cock, 1st and 2nd hen, 1st cockerel.

S. C. Rhode Island Reds.

Stroman and Hovater, Helmer, 1st cock, 1st hen, 1st cockerel, 2nd and 5th pullet.

E. J. Rantz, Goshen, 2nd and 3rd cockerels, 1st, 3rd and 4th pullet.

R. C. Rhode Island Reds.

Mrs. O. P. Greer, Bourbon, 3rd

Rev. Dean L. A. Moench officiated. Burial was in St. Joseph's cemetery.

BOARD MEETING.